

Aerosol Questions

Fill in the answers as shown, then put together the circled letters to get the final answer to the question:

QUESTION:

The 1991 eruption of what volcano in the Phillippians was detected from space?

HINTS:

1. Earth Science Enterprise (former acronym)

M T P E

2. SAGE I, SAGE II and SAGE III are all efforts by NASA to study stratospheric aerosols.

MISSION

3. When these erupt, large amounts of aerosols in the form of SO₂ can be released.

VOLCANOES

4. Tiny particles suspended in the atmosphere.

AEROSOLS

5. Second major source of atmospheric aerosols.

<u>DESERT</u> <u>DUST</u>

6. The 1813 eruption of this Indonesian volcano is thought to have caused the "Year Without a Summer."

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7. The "S" in SAGE.

STRATOSPHERIC

